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Applicant

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action of October 27, 2004, in connection with the above identified application.

The Official Action is a restriction requirement in which it is urged that there are two separate and distinct inventions claimed in this application. Applicants elect the Group II invention, drawn to a method of manufacturing a reflecting device, which includes claims 6-19, without traverse. Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application on the non-elected inventions at a later time.

In view of the election of the Group II invention, without traverse, an early and favorable action on the merits is now believed to be in order and is most respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted, BACON & THOMAS, PLLC

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